

Cal OES Daily Situation Report

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National Terrorism Advisory System

Current Alerts

There are no current alerts

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* Maps can be viewed in the attachment.

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I. OPEN DISASTERS/EMERGENCIES:

II. WEATHER:

WEATHER:

Red Flag Warning in effect from 0600 Wednesday to 1800 today for portions of Ventura and Los Angeles Counties.

Today's Forecast:

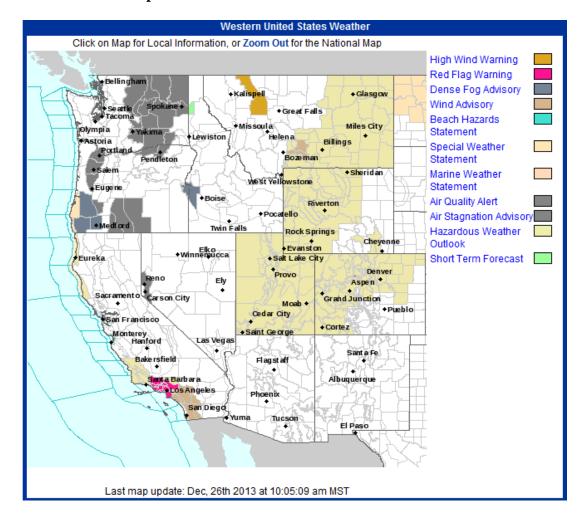
Northern California

Fair skies with above normal daytime temperatures will continue through the rest of the week as a strong high pressure ridge remains entrenched along the west coast.

Southern California

High pressure will continue to dominate the western states through the end of the work week. High temperatures will continue to remain well above normal...especially through Friday. There will be a gradual cool down into this weekend as an upper low approaches Southern California.

State Weather Map



III. FIRES:

Overall Fire Risk:

Northern California

Continuing dry weather conditions will keep all dead fuel size classes much drier than normal. Dormant brush fuels will remain in at dry, late fall levels. We are experiencing various stages of long term drought with Severe to locally extreme drought conditions covering most of Northern California (see link below). There have been record low rainfall totals in many areas this calendar year adding to ongoing longer term drought over the past 2 1/2 years. Fire danger will be somewhat unseasonably elevated mostly during breezy times, especially at lower elevations in the southern end of the Geographic Area.

http://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/Home/StateDroughtMonitor.aspx?CA

Southern California

Dead fuels will continue to dry through the forecast period due to well above normal temperatures and very low humidity. The warm and dry conditions will also allow for light initial attack activity across the region through the forecast period.

Preparedness Levels:

National Preparedness Level 1

Northern California

Preparedness Level 1 Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

Southern California

Preparedness Level 2 Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

IV. SIGNIFICANT ACTIVITY:

Northern California: NSTR

Southern California:

Pfeiffer Fire Recovery

- * At this time, Monterey County OES has shifted from response to recovery, since the fire has been fully contained.
- * County Preliminary Damage Assessment (PDA) teams were assembled to tour burned areas on 12/19/13. Team consisted of County Building Dept., Dept. of Health and fire personnel (4-teams). The teams were able to access the impacted area and an Initial Damage Estimate has been completed.
- * A recovery call with Cal OES and Monterey OES and locals occurred on Monday, 12/23/2013. Cal OES Coastal Region and Recovery continue to work with the county to assist with their recovery needs.

- * California Volunteers, at the request of Monterey County, activated the Monetary Donations webpage on its website, www.californiavolunteers.org, to provide links to nonprofit organizations in the impacted area currently collecting monetary donations to assist the survivors and recovery process.
- * A hotline number has been established for information to the public at (831) 320-9989.
- * Public Safety Communications Office (PSCO) has opened a trouble ticket to repair the repeater on Pfeiffer Ridge. PSCO advised that they have been granted access to the site for evaluation of repairs needed. A PSC Tech and phone company responded, 12/24/13, for site evaluation.

Proclamation

* Proclamation from Monterey County was received at Cal OES on 12/17/2013 declaring a Local Emergency and requesting a copy of this proclamation be forwarded to the Governor of California to proclaim a State of Emergency and request a Presidential Declaration.

CAL OES MISSIONS:

New Missions: NSTR

Ongoing Missions:

2013-LAW-1868 On 12/23/13, Monterey County Sheriff's Office requested CBRN (chemical, biological, radiological, nuclear) detection/sweeps at the AT&T National Pro-Am in Pebble Beach on 02/03/14 - 02/09/14, with pre-staging of the asset prior to the event start date.

2013-Coastal-1867 On 12/23/13, Monterey County Environmental Health requested the Department of Toxic Substance Control (DTSC) for post-fire household hazardous waste and asbestos removal for burned residences. This is an ongoing program that is done after a fire in California. The request date is 01/06/14.

2013-LAW-1797 On 12/11/2013, at 1520 hours, Butte County S.O. requested a dive team and underwater Remotely Operated Vehicle (ROV) with capability to search Lake Oroville at depths down to 300 feet. Human Remains Detection (HRD) K-9's are also being requested in support of this mission to search land area's around two bridges. 12/18/13, 1520 hours, Butte County Sheriff's Department advised that no additional clues were discovered today and they will be scheduling another search with side can sonar equipment within the next 10 days. 12/24/13, 1600 hours, San Francisco Police Department (SFPD) advised they are still in the approval process. This search is anticipated to continue after the first of the year. Mission ongoing.

2013-FIRE-1787 12/10/13, 1551 hours, Glendale Fire Department requested California National Guard 9th Civil Support Team to support Rose Bowl Parade Activities on 01/01/14 and 01/02/14...

2013-Southern-1468 Cal Trans/State Parks, Crystal Cove Slope Repair, Orange County. Per Cal Trans, the majority of the work has been completed; there is still some minor work that needs to be done. The roadway is currently back open with no lane closure or travel restrictions. Due to

unforeseen circumstances, Weather and a Safety Review change, time for completion has been moved to the last week of December.

Closed Missions: NSTR

V. AGENCY/DEPARTMENT REPORTS: NSTR

VI. UPCOMING EVENTS, TRAINING, EXERCISES: NSTR

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